

I HAVE NEVER LET MY SCHOOLING INTERFERE WITH MY EDUCATION.—Mark Twain

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GOULD ACADEMY LISTS 280 ON OPENING DAY

Gould Academy opened its 115th year with a total enrollment of 280 students—96 boarding students and 184 day students. Nearly 50 per cent of all the boarding students are residents outside the State of Maine. Every one of the New England states plus Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York are represented as well as Canada.

Mr and Mrs Paul Kalley have joined the staff this year. Mr Kalley, a graduate of Middlebury College, will have charge of Skating, Freshman Civics, and the new-formed course in Driver Education. Mrs Kalley will assist in the dormitory.

Vance Richardson has returned to the faculty after a year of advanced study in the fields of Guidance and English at Rutgers University. He is joined by Mrs Richardson, a recent graduate of Smith College, who will teach Spanish; she will also assist in the dormitory.

Harry Miele, a graduate of the University of Vermont, has joined the faculty as teacher of Latin and English. Mr Miele will also assist in Dramatics and Student Council work in which fields he has had considerable practical experience.

Miss Natalie Mayo, who taught Civics in addition to Problems of Democracy last year, completed graduate courses this summer at Leland Stanford University in Remedial Reading will spend much of her school time this year working with boys and girls who have particular difficulties in different fields—especially Reading and English.

The National Honor Society this year is being asked to keep a scrapbook on Gould Academy. Any Alumnae receiving news of events in the lives of former Gould students is asked to relay all information to the school office.

This year's enrollment:

Seniors: Helen Angeline, Upton; Mary Angeline, Upton; Jane Annis, Gilford; Harry Bartlett, Augusta; Janet Bean, Oxford; Wayne Bennett, Bethel; Ruth Berry, Readings, Mass.; Charles Blake, Bethel; Merrill Bott, Fairfield; Beverly Brown, Sandy Hook, Conn.; Theodore Chadbourn, Bethel; Margaret Champlain, Bethel; Raymond Chase, Hanover; Dana Cheyne, Auburndale, Mass.; Read Cheyne, Mansfield, Mass.; Richard Chlek, Madison, N. H.; Lester Cooldge, Bethel; Joan Cornell, Bethel; James Cousins, Norwalk, Conn.; Nancy Cummings, Bethel; Jane Daland, Durham, N. H.; Charles Daley, Augusta; Ruth Donahue, Bethel; Richard Douglas, Bethel; Jerry Durlin, Bingham; James Durham, Monson; Betty Dysart, Bangor; Constance Elliott, Portland; Gerald Emery, Bethel; Marylyn Flynn, Winchester, Mass.; Ramona Hall, Bethel; Susan Hamilton, Melrose, Mass.; Mary Hastings, Bethel; Clarence Howe, Locke Mills; Gordon Howe, Springfield, Mass.; David Kanaly, Bridgton; Rosemary Kelley, East Hiram; Robert Knight, Garland; John Knowles, Bangor; Thomas Lawson, Northfield, Vt.; Barbara Lawson, Needham, Mass.; Eileen Linnell, Peru; Donna Little, Hale, Wilson's Mills; Harry Look, Gorham; Laurice Lord, Bethel; Norman Lowell, Bethel; Carroll Leeton, Bethel; Davene Marbie, West Bethel; Janet Mason, Bethel; John Mason, Freeport; Lynn Mc-

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CARROLL RELEASED AFTER 12 YEARS OF LIFE TERM

Francis Carroll, former deputy sheriff of South Paris, was ordered released from state prison Wednesday by Justice Albert Beliveau of Rumford. Carroll had served 12 years of a life sentence for the murder of Dr James Littlefield of South Paris.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Richard Ireland left Monday to resume his studies at Middlebury College.

Mr and Mrs Alva Cummings of Abington, Mass., are visiting friends in town.

Mrs Ella Staats of Gorham, Maine, is visiting Mr and Mrs Kimball Ames.

Mrs Burchard Russell of Hanover is spending a few days with Mrs Fred Hamlin.

Lee Carver left Monday to begin his second year at Yale University, New Haven, Conn.

Miss Ada Bean returned here Monday after spending several weeks at Portland.

A special meeting of the WSCS was held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr C F Saunders.

Dick Ireland, Jerry Davis and Lee Carver returned Sunday from a three day trip to Quebec and Montreal.

Work of pouring the concrete foundation of the new school building on the Crescent Grounds is well under way.

Mr and Mrs Harry W Kinsley of South Norwalk, Conn., were guests Friday night of Mr and Mrs Kimball Ames.

Mr and Mrs Norman Hall and daughter, Ruth, were week end guests of Mr and Mrs Harry Ladd, Canaan, Vt.

Friends will be interested to know Herbert Lyon's change of address: Cpl. Herbert Lyon, 11188393, Sv. Co. 19th Inf. Regt., 24th Div. APO 24, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

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FRED A. HAMLIN

It was with sorrow that the many friends of Fred Hamlin learned of his death on Thursday, Sept. 14th, at his home in Kimball Park. Mr Hamlin had been in failing health for several years, but was confined to his bed only a few days.

He was born Aug. 15, 1864, at Milan, N. H., the son of Dexter and Celestino Hamlin. He married Belle Kimball of Bethel, May 5, 1909, and they lived in Berlin for several years, where he was associated with his brother, Frank Hamlin, in the lumbering business.

Mr and Mrs Hamlin came to Bethel 27 years ago, and have since made many friends in and about the town.

Of a genial nature, Mr Hamlin will be remembered by many for his pleasant greeting and ready smile.

He was a devoted husband and respected citizen, always interested in civic and national affairs.

Besides his widow, he leaves several cousins.

Funeral services were held at Greenleaf's funeral parlor, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. David Hickland officiating. Burial was in the family lot at Milan, N. H.

He saw when his footsteps faltered, When his heart grew weak and faint.

He marked when his strength was failing,

But he never heard any complaint.

He bid him rest for a season; For the pathway had grown too steep,

And folded in fair green pastures He giveth his loved one sleep.

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GOULD OPENS AGAINST SATURDAY

Gould Academy, with many of last year's regulars missing, and only nine days of practice, will take on a strong South Paris team. The Cardinals won an easy victory over Bridgton last Saturday and will be primed for this one.

Conch Scott has a large squad out, over sixty, but the group is lacking in varsity experience, and needs time to develop. The opening day line-up is still very uncertain. The following regulars from last year are certain starters: Capt. Wayne Bennett, lg; Gordon Howe, rh; Les Streeter, re; and Dick Douglass, rt. Other lettermen who may be in the starting line-up are Emery, le; Lowell or Clark, lt; Adams, c; Patterson, rg; and Bean, fb.

Others who will see service are up from last year's JV's and are Paul Bartlett, lb; Chase, lh; Don Bennett, c; John Mason, rg; Harry Bartlett, re; Ferguson, le; Yates, rt; Fred Smith, lg; Bud Howe, c; Fortin, b; Lord, t; Sweeney, g; and Kanaly, fb.

Survivors include six grandchildren and two nieces, Mrs Raymond Mills of Norway and Mrs Arline Spring of Medford, Mass.

Funeral services were held at the Greenleaf funeral home Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. David Hickland officiating. Burial was in the Royal River Cemetery at Yarmouth.

M. C. BUS DRIVERS FINISH THIS YEAR'S STRIKE

The strike of the Maine Central Transportation Co. employees was settled Saturday afternoon and services was resumed Monday. The strike began Aug. 9 and lasted 41 days. The contract for one year provides a three cents an hour increase the first eight months and additional three cents the remaining four months. At the beginning the strikers sought a six cent boost and the company offered three cents.

COUNTY REPRESENTATIVES TO LEGISLATURE

LOCALE GIRL RETURNS FROM SUMMER EUROPEAN TOUR

Miss Virginia Hastings, daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert Hastings of Bethel, was among 1,420 students who arrived on the student ship S. S. Volendam at Hoboken, N. J., Sunday morning after a summer in Europe.

She participated in Tri Nation Tour F, sponsored by the National Student Association and visited Holland, Germany, Belgium, France, England, Scotland, and Ireland during her eight weeks in Europe.

This was the third annual student sailing of the 23-year-old reconverted trophsy. The Netherlands government and the Holland America Line arranged for its sailing under the auspices of two student organizations, the National Student Association and the Netherlands Office for Foreign Student Relations.

The European program of NSA is a thorough-going student venture; foreign students act as guides, arrangers and hosts for the Americans selected for the study-tours and work camps sponsored by NSA.

The whole effort is non-profit and non-partisan and is designed to furnish international understanding.

Aboard the Volendam, a full-scale shipboard program was run by the students. Activities included language classes, lecture programs, a student-run ship's paper, dance and band and variety show. The Volendam is expected to sail again next year.

Mrs Celia Gorman brought a bunchberry blossom and a cluster of blueberry blossoms to the Citizen Office, Monday. Mrs Gorman plucked them near her cottage at Songo.

Dr. Robert C. Scott

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MRS. NELL SEABURY

Mrs Nell M Seabury passed away Sunday at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, where she was taken after suffering a stroke on Sept. 9.

She was born in Albany, Oct. 16, 1897, the daughter of Elijah and Lydia Scribner Morrell. For many years she lived at Yarmouth and Portland, and for the past 10 years has been a resident of Bethel and West Bethel.

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Our Hidden Enemy— Inflation

Some readers may have wondered from time to time why this column has so persistently warned of the danger of a prolonged practice of deficit financing (operating on borrowed money) by our Federal government. The reason is that runaway inflation is disastrous, and if there is a single economic law on which virtually all economists can agree it is the one that says government deficit spending inevitably brings inflation.

In Asia, in the Orient, and in Europe I have had personal contact with the havoc wrought by inflation. For a number of years I've carried a \$10,000 currency bill in my wallet. In 1946, when we left Hong Kong to return to America, that \$10,000 bill would have bought a very nice home anywhere in the Orient. Today the \$10,000 bill would be just enough for one slice of bread.

It's Destructive

Inflation can be as destructive as defeat in war. Lenin, the father of International Communism, said: "We must force the United States to spend itself into destruction" in opening the nationwide Crusade for Freedom with a radio address early this month. General Eisenhower pondered the possibility that present American strategy may be calculated to force us into ruinous financial practices. Paul Browder, the Communist, says in his new book that socialism is inevitable to the United States. He gives as the foremost reason "Government deficit spending."

In its 100 runaway stage, inflation creates panic and sometimes anxiety, too, but in its first inflation stage it is most likely to generate great alarm among the people. That's another reason this column has frequently pointed out the danger. Conditions which led to the French revolution were set into motion by the Finance Ministry's heavy deficit financing and resultant runaway inflation. Hitler's National Socialism took root in a post war Germany prostrated by currency inflation.

Loss of Purchasing Power

The higher our national debt goes, due to government borrowing and deficit spending, the less value our dollars will have. The value has been increased during the past 20 years. Today it amounts to \$20,000. The dollars in my \$2000 haven't shrunk to twice the \$10,000 Chinese currency has, but just since 1940 they have lost nearly 50 per cent of their purchasing power. And the future income of our 100,000,000 citizens, young and old, is already mortgaged to the extent of \$200 each by the national debt.

Besides being a danger to our national security, inflation is a hidden parasite feeding on the back account, the savings, the insurance policy, the annuity, the pension. It hits everybody's savings, everybody's savings, everybody's future plan. For instance, about \$12,000 worth of lifetime bonds were bought by citizens in 1940 and this year they are redeemable. The bond bought for \$12 in 1940 and now redeemable for \$10 is now worth exactly only \$8. In 1940 dollars inflation has raised the purchase of \$12 interest and has eaten up \$1 of the principal he invested 10 years ago.

The Greatest Danger

The 30 million Americans who now live on credit are being injured by inflation every year the government spends more than it receives. More than \$100 billion in savings bonds are sold by citizens and every day inflation causes their value to shrink. The average industrial wage was \$10.85 in 1940. By May of this year it was \$13.50, or an increase of 26.8%. That

DALE CARNEGIE

★ AUTHOR OF HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING ★

How Mother Nature Heals

THERE'S A PLACE up in Vermont called Journey's End, where a people get just about made over. Mrs. Herbert W. Warden, Jr., of Rutland, Vermont, told me of a man who was sent there from a hospital in Canada. His name was Toby Carl.

Toby Carl was a British officer in the submarine service during the war. He had never been to America before, and when he arrived at Journey's End after five years of service, he was worn out, nervous, jittery, virtually beside himself.

He told of harrowing experiences for he couldn't seem to shake off the memories of them. The sister ship which turns up supplies for his ship was torpedoed; they had expected the same fate for they were plying the waters around Norway. For months on end, their food supply was very low. The men lost weight, became irritable, nervous, fearful. And all this had told on Officer Toby Carl.

One day he was asked what he would like to do. "By George," came the surprising reply, "I'd like to go out and plant trees."

"Well, there they are, hundreds and hundreds of acres of trees in the back woods; go help yourself," he was told, everyone happy that he had found something that would interest him.

And so he dug up trees from one place and planted them in another. Day after day, he kept at it. And day after day he improved physically and mentally.

And he was left alone to do it his own way. Perhaps the trees should have been spaced differently, set here and there, but Toby Carl placed them where he wanted to, and that was in solid rows where you will see them if you go to Rutland and visit Journey's End.

Mrs. Warden has told us this story as a reminder to anyone reading this who may be nervous, overwrought, for it is such a good example of what Mother Nature will do for you if you give her a chance.

As to Officer Toby Carl, after a year he went away, back to Britain, virtually made over.



Carnegie

ABOVE THE HULLABALOO

BY LITTLE BULL

WE LEND MONEY to Yugoslavia

which certainly won't back us when the war with Russia comes; but we won't lend money to Spain which will fight on our side if it has any arms to fight with. Doesn't seem to make much sense!

Bob M. didn't make much sense when we agreed to walk out of southern Korea and when we announced that we wouldn't defend it. Very little of our foreign policy seems to make much sense! Maybe those who are conducting it are so brilliant that we common people can't keep up.

Their logic is over our heads! We are too dumb to understand the scintillating strategy which lost us China and which tempted the Reds into Southern Korea and which now appears to promise them Formosa if they will be a little patient. All we poor saps can see is that we are at war to the death with half of the world.

We can't even grasp the policy that supports the dictator Tito who ruthlessly shot down our aviators, who votes against us in the U.N. and who will doubtless fight against us in the inevitable war with Red communism. We can't fathom a policy that refuses to arm the only nation—Spain—also a dictatorship, which can really help us when Russia starts across western Europe—the nation which saved the lives of so many of our aviators during World War II.

We are too dumb to understand why our present leaders won't protect the only beach-head—the Spanish peninsula—which can help us save Europe when the war comes.

The American people through their representatives in congress, have voted a loan to Spain. The President, it is rumored, will prevent it's use. He thus opposes the will of the people, as still still probably re-elect the men, come November, whom he can depend upon to support just this sort of behavior.

The government is probably still after all. We are dumb; probably dumb!

I REMEMBER

BY THE OLD TIMER

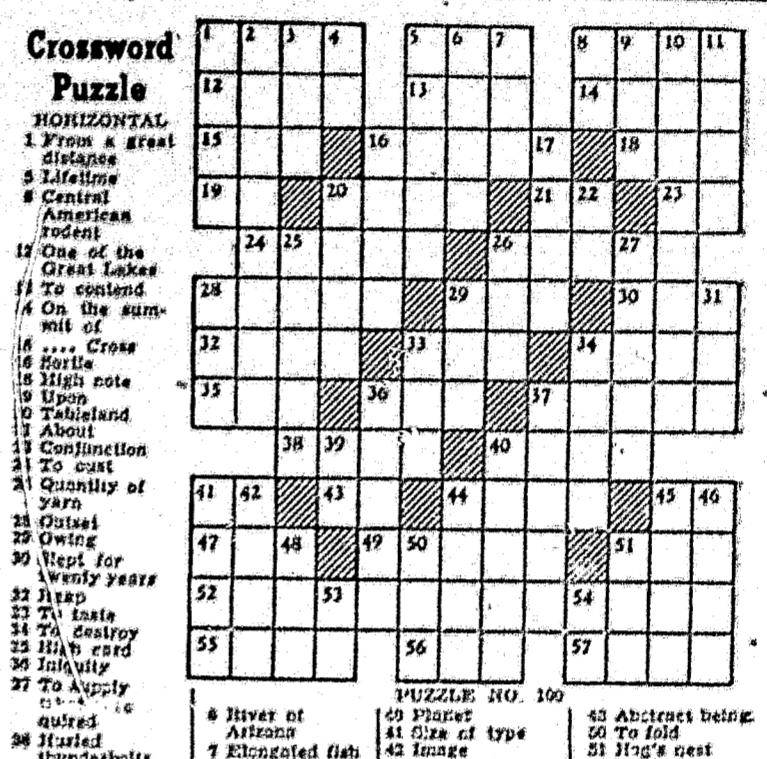


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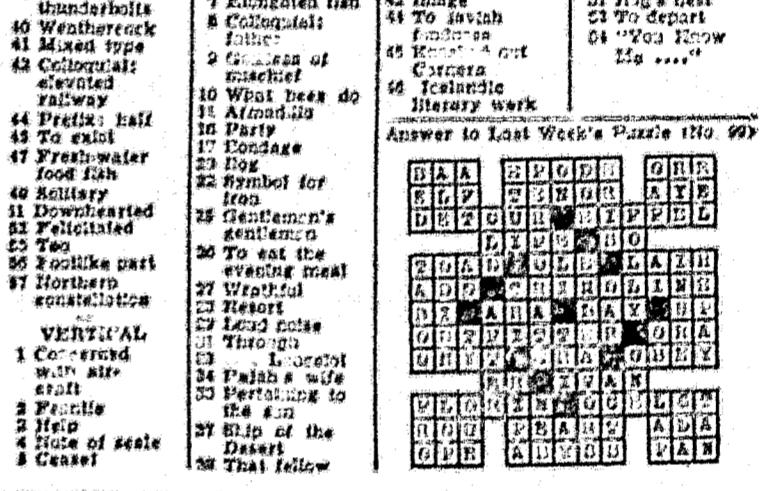


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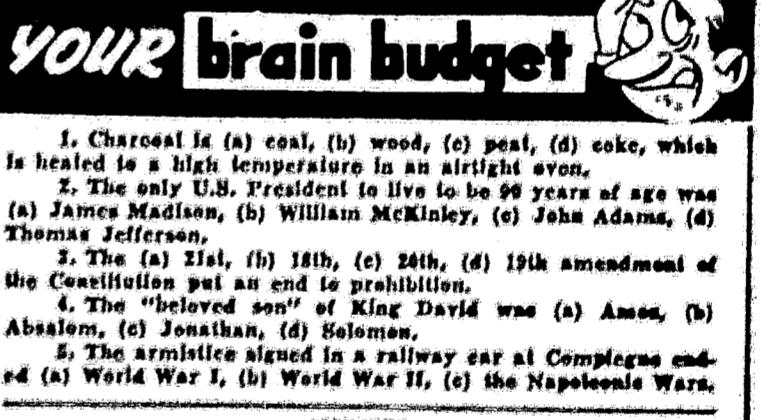
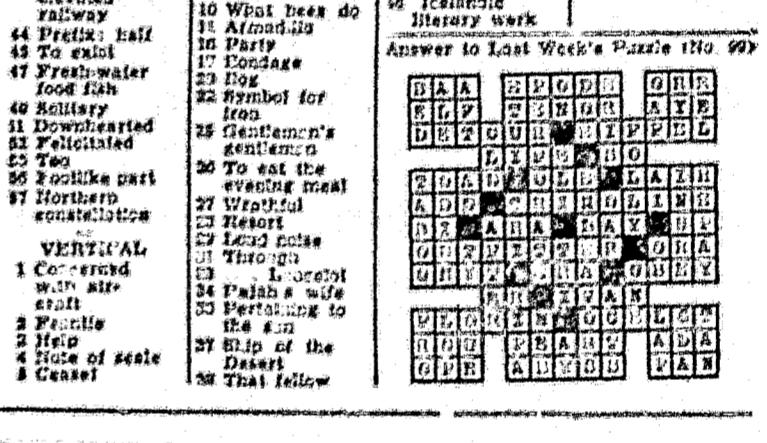
QUESTION AND ANSWER



PUZZLE NO. 100



Answer to Last Week's Puzzle 120 99



1. Charcoal is (a) coal, (b) wood, (c) peat, (d) coke, which is heated to a high temperature in an airtight oven.

2. The only U.S. President to live to be 90 years of age was

(a) James Madison, (b) William McKinley, (c) John Adams, (d) Thomas Jefferson.

3. The (a) 21st, (b) 18th, (c) 26th, (d) 19th amendment of the Constitution put an end to prohibition.

4. The "beloved son" of King David was (a) Amnon, (b) Absalom, (c) Jonathan, (d) Solomon.

5. The armistice signed in a railway car at Compiegne ended (a) World War I, (b) World War II, (c) the Napoleonic Wars.

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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott

Gentlemen's Night was observed by the Bryant Pond Garden Club at its meeting Thursday evening, Sept. 14, at the Town Hall. 44 members and guests were in attendance. Colored slides of Maine gardens and the Middleton Gardens, North Carolina, were shown by Mr. and Mrs. Warren S. Shaw, Lewiston. Refreshments were served.

Attending the area Farm Bureau meeting at Bethel, Friday, from the Woodstock group were Mrs. Leora Farrington, Mrs. Eva Mills, Mrs. Edith Bryant, Mrs. Sadie Lakeway, Mrs. Nellie Bowker, Mrs. Annie Morgan, Mrs. Rena Howe, Mrs. Eva C. Twitchell and Mrs. Myrtle Hayes.

Mrs. Emma Mills, Cambridge, Mass., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Orin Mason, a few days last week, returning home Friday.

Mrs. Marion Mason, Grand Guard of the Grand Temple, Pythian Sister of Maine, accompanied by Past Chief Mabel Robertson is on a tour of inspection this week. Mrs. Mason will visit the following Temples in her official capacity: Boothbay Harbor, North Haven, Damariscotta, Warren and Friendship. Before returning home, they plan to make a trip to St. Stephens, N. B., and Campobello Island.

Miss Arden Billings has been the guest of her father and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Billings for two weeks. She returned to Mt. Holyoke College, South Hadley, Mass., Wednesday.

Dexter Stowell left Thursday for Fort Dix, N. J.

Mrs. Ella Wight, South Paris, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Hattie Bosse, this week.

Rev. and Mrs. James MacKillop, Mrs. Donald MacDowell and children of North Livermore, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard MacKillop and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. James Billings and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tyler spent the week end at Rockland.

Franklin Grange met in regular session Saturday evening, Sept. 16. Members are invited to attend a wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cole at the Town Hall, Locke Mills, Tuesday evening, Sept. 26. The following program was presented in charge of the Home and Community Welfare Committee: Singing by Grange; "Work for the Night is Coming"; Jokes by members; Piano solo, with encores; Leatrice Farnum; Quiz, conducted by Mrs. Lettie Brooks; Pie-eating contest, Edwin Howe and Irving Cole, captains; Mr. Howe's side won; Reading, Ellis M. Davis. Refreshments were served. The next meeting Oct. 7 will be election of officers.

Judith Grover Tent No. 17, D of U. V. met Tuesday evening, September 12, at the Juvenile Grange Hall. There were 14 members present. General Order No. 2 was read.

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Mrs. L. E. Wight, Corres.

Mrs. Ella Cole of Locke Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Glover and children, Anita and Brenda, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Hascamp.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ferrin were visiting friends in Errol, N. H., Sunday.

Norman Davis gave a talk Friday afternoon at school on interesting things seen and places he visited on his trip through the West with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, this summer.

Miss Priscilla Eames was given a birthday party in honor of 14th birthday last Saturday, Sept. 16, by her mother, Mrs. Rue Bartholomew.

An aunt, Mrs. Geneva Lane's, birthday being near the same date was included in the party. Priscilla received many nice gifts, including money, also two birthday cakes. Young folks who attended were Elaine and John Clifford, John Wight, Patty Morton, Malcolm, Neil, Joe and Polly Gross, Beverly Blake, Phillip Jarvis, Norman Davis, Leroy Learned, Patricia Learned, Kenneth Dicker, Bonny Bartholomew, Ransom Kelley, and several adults. Refreshments of ice cream, fancy cakes, candy and cold drinks were served. Miss Eames entered Gould Academy this year.

Miss Bennett of Hartford,

the second time and placed on file. The Secretary was instructed to write to the Department President and find out when it would be convenient for her to make her official visit. The following program was presented by the Patriotic Instructor: Riddle, Edith Hathaway, Life of William Howard Taft, Beasie House and Harriett Halsaw; Quiz, Alberta Dunham. Edith and Phyllis Hathaway served refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips and punch. Two lovely birthday cakes were presented to President Ruth Dunham and Assistant Guard Beatrice Farnum, whose birthdays were this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cushman and daughters, Faye and Sylvia, Auburn, were guests Sunday of relatives at the Cushman cottage, South Pond.

Mrs. J. Everett Howe left Monday to visit her daughter, Miss Olive Howe, R. N. at New York.

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Conn. is spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Bennett. Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight, Miss Carrie Wight, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight visited Round Mountain Grange, Albany, Monday night. It was the 75th anniversary of that Grange. Twenty members of Bear River Grange were present at roll call. The Brooks reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton, Sunday, Sept. 17. About 80 were present.

Thanks Voters
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for the fine support given me for the office of County Treasurer on election day, September 11.

(SIGNED)

Stuart F. Martin

LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Mary Mills, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Malloy of Lynn, Mass., have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ring. Mr. and Mrs. Ring returned home with them Sunday for a visit.

The eighth grade held a social at the town hall last Friday evening.

Work has started on Leland Dunham's home in the village on the road leading to Howe Hill.

Arthur S. Cummings of Cummings' Cleaners and Dyers of Auburn was a weekend guest of his sister, Mrs. Bertha Emmons.

Mr. Frank Hunt Jr. of West Burke, Vt., has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Jordan.

Miss June Swan is spending a few days at Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hebert are the parents of a son born Sept. 12.

Miss Lorinda Robinson who has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Owen Davis for the past summer has gone to Manchester, N. H., to live with her family, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cole, who

GREENWOOD CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Curtis and daughter of Mechanic Falls were callers at his brother's, Galen Curtis, on Sunday.

Mrs. Maude Cole of Portland has been with her daughter Mrs. Roland Hayes, and her sister, Mrs. Wilbur Yates, this week.

Owen Morgan of Castine was at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Chase of West Paris were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonis Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan were callers Sunday at Ernest Curtis' Tubb's District.

Mrs. Hazel Libby of Portland was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Roland Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hebert are having a reception at the Town Hall next Tuesday evening. All friends and relatives are invited.

The Community Club is having a public baked bean supper at the Town Hall on Wednesday, Sept. 27, at 5:30.

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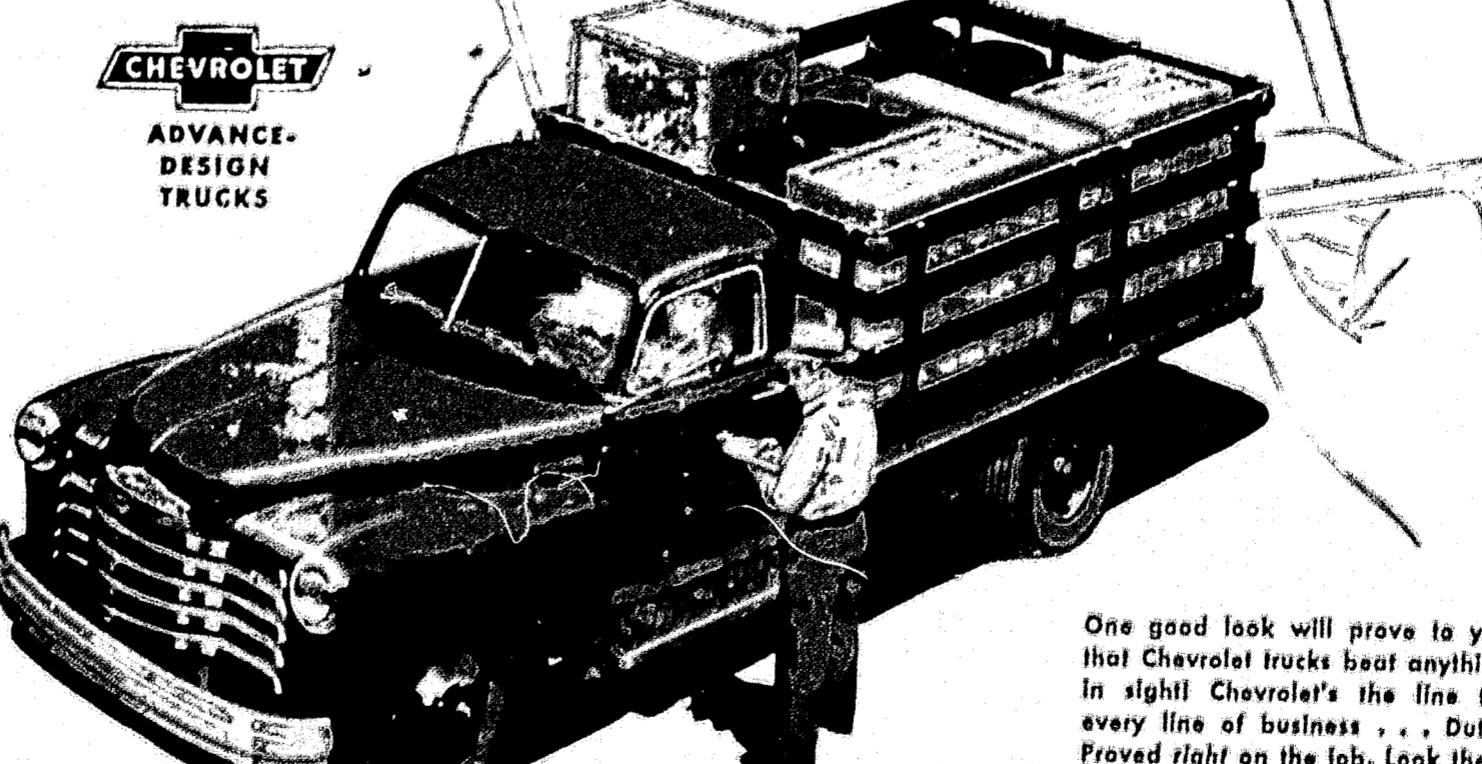
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The evening passed all too quickly with music and song. The retiring Noble Grand, Bertha Mills, found herself the honor guest and was presented a sum of money concealed in the living room, but only after she followed a string which was cleverly wound about in and outside the cottage.

Those present included: Beatrice Brown, Mary Brown, Ruby Briggs, Rose Strickland, Elsie A. Poore, Blanche Trask, Addie Saunders, Maxine Brown, Louann Brown, Ruth M. Brown, Dora Ford, Katherine Bennett, Ella Cole, Maud Hunt, Iva Hutchinson, Violet Bennett, Katherine Adams, Dorothy Christie, Bertha Mills, Cora Bennett, C. F. Saunders, and Chester Briggs.

BIRTH

In Rumford, Sept. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis of Bethel, a son, Thomas Ames.

In Portland, Sept. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. George Lothrop of Bethel, a son.

Sept. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hebert, of Lamoine Mills, a son.

Sept. 17, to Mr. and Mrs. James Haines of East Bethel, a son.

In San Diego, Calif., Sept. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Larvey (Elizabeth Ward), a daughter, Sandra.

MARRIED

In Norway, Sept. 17, by the Rev. Fr. Brady: George Brown and Miss Constance Merrill, both of Bethel.

DIED

In Bethel Sept. 14, Fred A. Hamlin, age 56 years.

In Lexington, Sept. 17, Mrs. Nell Fawcett of Bethel, aged 85 years.

In Bethel, Mrs. Sept. 19, David DeGelder, formerly of Head, aged 28 years.



LATE CHANCE! . . . Lewis N. Herksey, selective service chief, tells Senate Armed Services committee that armament of universal military training "may be last chance to save turbulent peace."

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ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare

Possibly one good reason for hesitancy on Russia's part to attack this country directly is the unquestionable certainty that the Kremlin knows the extent of American industrial capacity far better than the average American.

Following are reports of leaders in key industries:

Steel: "Today we have more capacity than all the rest of the world put together. Since the last war started, we have built as much new steel capacity as existed in Germany when that war began. This excess capacity is sufficient to meet the present demand." Clarence B. Randall, president of Inland Steel Co.

Rubber: "Today we have not one but two raw materials—natural and synthetic rubber. Before World War II we could turn 85,000 tons of rubber into finished products each month. Now we can process 110,000 tons a month. Before World War II our industry had about 120,000 employees. Today, we have over 200,000." Harry E. Humphreys, Jr., president of United States Rubber Co.

Oil: "There is no need for rationing, even if military demand expands substantially from present levels. Since the end of the last war, the petroleum industry has increased its capacity by more than 25 per cent." Dr. Robert E. Wilson, chairman of the board of the Standard Oil Co. (Indiana).

Electric power: "Right now the electric utility industry has one-third more generating capacity than at the end of the last war, and by the end of 1953 will have three-quarters more." Louis V. Sutton, president of the Carolina Power & Light Co.

Textiles: "With cotton and synthetic-fiber textile production far ahead of last year, there will be plenty of clothing available in the coming months. Total output of broad woven goods made of cotton is expected to exceed last year's production by 1,200,000,000 square yards." Donald Cramer, chairman of the board of Avondale Mills.

Machine Tools: "The industry has far larger capacity than at the start of the second war and could be expanded to meet twice the present demand." Charles J. Bell, president of Warner & Swasey Co.

Food: "There is absolutely no reason for panic buying of foods. We have a more abundant supply on hand than ever before." Morris Hayes, president of the Corn Products Refining Co.

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A WORD WORTH WORKING WITH

Today's word is c-y-n-i-c-a-l. Do you allow yourself to entertain cynical thoughts? Cynical thoughts about yourself or your fellow man? Or about the world in general? Here is a study of the word:

Cynic: One of a Greek school of philosophers who taught that virtue is the only good and that its essence lies in self-control and independence. Later, cynics were violent critics of social customs and current philosophies. Hence, a snarler, a misanthrope; specifically, one who believes that human conduct is motivated wholly by self-interest.

Cynical (from Greek meaning dog-like): 1. Snarling, captious, curmudgeonly. 2. Having the attitude and temper of a cynic, contemptuously distrustful of human nature. C-y-n-i-c-a-l implies a sneering disbelief in sincerity and rectitude.

Ulen, Minn., Union: "Of every dollar Minnesota paid in taxes in 1948, 70 cents went to Washington, only 15 cents of it stayed at home in our own local government."

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tion. And why not? Every decision handed down in a civil court involves the principle of compulsory arbitration. It is the procedure recognized as just and equitable to all parties concerned."

Windom, Minn., Reporter: "The Presidential election of 1948 brought out only one-half of those who were entitled to vote, the real expression of citizenship. Only 60 per cent of the graduates of American colleges and universities took the trouble to go to the polls and mark a ballot."

Centralia, Wash., Chronicle: "Truman may have read about Martin Van Buren, who was defeated for the presidency because he refused to spend the public funds."

Olinoy, Illinois, Advocate: "No wonder babies cry when they are born into this world — naked and hungry, and find they already owe the government \$1,700."

In his second letter to the Corinthians, Paul the apostle wrote (1:12), "For our rejoicing is this, the testimony of our conscience, that in simplicity and godly sincerity, not with fleshly wisdom, but by the grace of God, we have had our conversation in the world, and more abundantly to youward."

Sam Waller Foss, an American poet, says,

"I would not sit in the scorners seat.
Nor hurl the cynics ban,
Let me live in my house by the side of the road
And be a friend to man."

Let us resolve today to work with this word by casting out doubt and distrust and derision. Let us honor and cherish the good in human nature by acknowledging its source to be God. Let us be friends to man.

THE COUNTRY PRESS SAYS

Lindsborg, Kansas, News Record: "People do read the newspapers. The other week the Emporia Gazette printed an interesting item from its files telling of aid sent to Russia twenty years ago. But a lot of folk who read the item didn't read all of it evidently and jumped at conclusions. They got pretty excited and kept the telephones at the Gazette office and at the chamber of commerce ringing."

Harrodsburg, Ky., Herald: "Most unpatriotic citizens believe in the principle of collective bargaining. But when collective bargaining bogs down, what then?"

"Slowly but surely public sentiment is crystallizing in favor of some sort of compulsory arbitration."

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Spareribs with Applesauce (Serves 6)

1 onion, sliced
1/2 cup melted fat
4 cups sauerkraut
1 bay leaf
2 cloves

3 pounds spareribs, cut in 6 pieces
2 cups water
1 cup applesauce

Sauté onion in melted fat until soft but not brown. Add to sauerkraut. Spread half of sauerkraut in bottom of greased casserole; place spareribs on top; sprinkle with salt, pepper and a little flour. Add bay leaf and cloves, cover with remaining sauerkraut and water. Cover pan and cook in a moderate (350°F.) oven for 1 hour or until spareribs are tender. Remove ribs when done. Mix applesauce into sauerkraut, return to oven until heated through. Serve mound of apple-sauerkraut topped with spare-

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NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. C. James Knights, Corr. — Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billings and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis and family went to Oquossoc, Rangeley, and Eustis, and went over the Arnold Trail into Canada on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howe Jr. and son, also Mrs. John Howe Sr. of Rumford were supper guests Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott.

Mrs. John Hemingway visited several days last week with her cousin, Mrs. Will Emerson, at West Sumner.

Hazel Abbott visited Monday with Mrs. John Hemingway.

Mrs. C. James Knights was at Rumford last Saturday afternoon.

Several from this community attended Norway Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Abbott have moved to Massachusetts. Mr. Abbott has enrolled for graduate study in Forestry at Harvard University.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole and Mrs. Mary Ann Knights were Sunday afternoon callers at Mont Brooks' also at Lester Cole's.

Richard Cole returned to Bangor Sunday to resume studies at the U. of M.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corr. —

Raymond Nowlin and David Fleet have entered Gould Academy for their first year. Miss Laura Yates returned for her senior year and Bryce Yates is a junior this year.

Mrs. Lina Reynolds and children, George and Julie were in Harrison Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Helno.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Plummer, Mrs. Ethel Foye of Gorham, Maine, and Miss Judy Clum of Valley Falls, N. Y., were Saturday callers at R. M. Fleet's.

Willie Powers, who is home from the hospital, is staying for a few days at Stanley Roberts, visited Holman Bacon, Sunday.

Charles Frost visited in Bethel and Norway a few days last week, while away he took in the fair.

FEWER UNEMPLOYED IN RUMFORD AREA IN AUGUST

A sharp decrease in the number of unemployed workers was evident in the Rumford Labor Market area during August as local industries stepped up production, according to an analysis of the months' operations made by Ernest F. Lever, Jr., manager of the Rumford office of the Maine Employment Security Commission.

Lever reported that woodworking industries throughout the area have increased their production schedules to the point that it has become necessary to add additional shifts. Demands for workers in the logging industry are much heavier than at any time during the past year. More than four hundred workers have been employed in the canning of beans and will continue their work during the harvesting and processing of the corn crop. Many resort owners are making calls for temporary labor to replace students who are returning to school and miscellaneous demands have continued strong throughout the month.

There still exists, in the area, an acute shortage of experienced woodcutters and also a shortage of workers in the service classifications for work as housekeepers and waitresses.

The prospective employment situation in the Rumford area appears brighter than it has been for some time. Although very little work is being done in the construction field, manufacturing industries are expected to make substantial expansions in their labor force.

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SONGO POND

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corr. — Mrs. Muir Russell of Hilden, Nova Scotia, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Logan, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McKenzie of Somersworth, N. H., spent the week end at George Logan's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Logan and their guest, Mrs. Muir Russell, visited Mrs. Robert Estes at the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, Sunday.

Jimmie and Ronald Logan spent Sunday with their grandmother, Mrs. Carrie Logan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kimball are attending the Eastern States Fair at Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. Mae Thomas, who has been visiting Mrs. Clarence Kimball at Gorham, Maine, has returned and is spending a few days at Leslie Kimball's.

Mr. and Mrs. William Briggs of Oxford spent Sunday at E. C. Lapham's.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Cross spent Saturday night with their parents at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Beaupre have returned to their work at Fryeburg.

GROVER HILL - MASON

Mrs. Malcolm Mundt, Corr. —

Winfield Whitman spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitman, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Morrill visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitman, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Alice Wood and Miss Charlotte Kendall, Winthrop, Mass., called on relatives and friends Monday afternoon.

Miss Alice Mundt returned to Worcester, Mass., Monday afternoon, after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Mundt.

Howard Waterhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Waterhouse, has entered the University of Maine. He

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Mrs. Ella Grover and son, Richard, spent the week end at South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Enman of Portland visited Mr. and Mrs. Morton Morrill, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Buck, Norway, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitman, Sunday.

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EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Bernice Noyes, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. James Haines are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son Sunday morning.

Gregory Howe returned home Friday from the Rumford Community Hospital, where he had been a patient several days.

The women's Farm Bureau group met Wednesday at the Grange Hall for a meeting on Curtains and Draperies in charge of Mrs. Gladys Tyler. Mrs. Doris Houle and Mrs. Rose Bartlett served dinner.

Mrs. Florence Hastings went to Portland Wednesday to meet her daughter Virginia who is returning from a tour of Europe. She has spent the last two days at Boston.

Alder River Grange met Friday evening for a regular meeting. Four visitors were present, including Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stearns of South Paris. The third and fourth degrees were conferred on four candidates. The committee on roofing reported that the steel roof has been put on. The fire escape committee reported they are consulting a carpenter to start as soon as possible. A Harvest Supper was served following the meeting by Mrs. Floribell Haines, Mrs. Marjorie Billings and Mrs. Velma Merrill.

Mrs. Grace Swan and Mrs. Sylvia Conroy were week end

GREENWOOD CENTER

Sandra Martin, Correspondent

Sandra and Curt Martin called at Glenn Martin's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mills and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Churchill and daughter had a corn roast, Sunday evening.

Charlotte Cole called on Orissa Wolcott recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Lang, of West Paris, called at Beryl Martin's, Sunday.

Mrs. Milton Jacobs and Mrs. Helen Bolding left for Watertown, Mass., Thursday morning.

Guests of Mrs. Carrie Bartlett,

Word has been received by Mrs. grandmother, Mrs. Carrie Bartlett, that Willis Bartlett Jr. is stationed in Japan with the U. S. Army.

Miss Gertrude Harrington of Groveton, N. H., and Mrs. Bernard Harrington of Greenwood were callers in town last week.

The Lucky Clover 4-H Club and the Early Risers 4-H Club will hold a joint Local Exhibition at the Grange Hall Wednesday evening, Sept. 27. James Christie, County Club Agent, will be present. All parents and friends are invited to attend.

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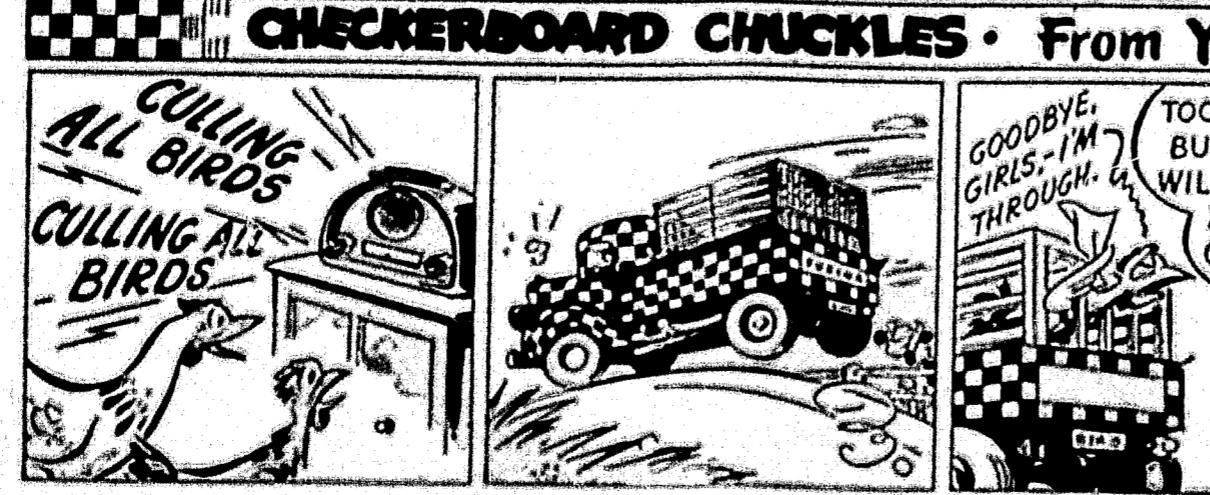
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Nobody's Business

If there is one subject which is misleading and worn threadbare in its blind belief by generations who know better, it is the theory that childhood and schooldays are the happiest period of ones life. It may be so, but many times it is far from the truth. The problems of a little child or any young person are just as real, just as serious, as any he will ever have. It is granted that in later years decisions of greater importance must be made, but many a person whose natural ability requires time and effort for every task will meet his greatest trials in half-explained school work or the misunderstood situations which always straw the path of every life.

fortunate indeed is the person who can find interest and amusement in little things. He has an unlimited source of relaxation, a constant hobby which he cannot avoid if he would. Such people readily find their minds refreshed and eager for greater tasks. Others may acquire such habits to some degree and so carry a considerable load with less wear and tear on their dispositions and those of their associates.

Indeed, enjoyment of things as they are may be of untold help in improving ones own condition, for acceptance of present ways does not imply that such should continue indefinitely. The idea of living one day at a time does not mean that no heed be taken of tomorrow, but we may skim the cream of experience from yesterday's tasks and so perform today's assignments that tomorrow's lesson may not be too difficult. Anyway, if you do not find that you are still learning years after finishing your school course and as long as you live, there is something very wrong. In any work that holds your interest there is always something new, otherwise you should be doing something else.

In other words, take things as they come, for in this way you may be ready to make the most of unanticipated opportunities if they should appear. If they do not, you will have learned to appreciate the simple everyday events. You will then be busy but not too busy, for generally troubles and blessings come only one at a time. But you may have learned, above all things, that there is a certain happy state of mind which can be reached by not taking unimportant things too seriously, and remember that our ancestors considered the "pursuit of happiness" to be greatly desired.

ELEANOR GORDON GULD

The Eleanor Gordon Guld met last Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Albert Bush. Miss Eugenia Haakon was assistant. Business officers were nominated as follows: president, Miss George Parsons; vice-president, Miss Wallace Daniels; secretary, Mrs. Albert Bush; and treasurer, Miss Eugenia Haakon. Mrs. Charles Kegode and Mrs. Henry Robertson were appointed to be in charge of installation of officers.

The next meeting will be held Sept. 25 with Mrs. Albert Bush and Miss Clayton Blake serving as trustees. Entertainment will be in charge of Mrs. Henry Robertson.

NORTH WATERFORD GIRL AT ST. LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY

Miss Mary B. Ford, daughter of Claude J. Ford of North Waterford, is attending the freshman orientation week program at St. Lawrence University, Canton, N.Y. Scheduled from September 11 through September 20 orientation week is designed to acquaint the 200 new students with university life. Classes regular sessions begin on September 23.

Miss Ford is a graduate of Bethel High School where she was a member of the student council, was a member of the national honor society and secretary of her class. She is a graduate of Bethel High School where she was a member of the student council, was a member of the national honor society and secretary of her class.

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